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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

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Sir:

The following is a statement of the substance of the telephonic interview conducted between the undersigned and Supervisory Primary Examiner Cynthia Kelly on April 22, 2004.

During the interview, the Request for Revised Office Action filed January 5, 2004 and the communication from the Examiner mailed April 8, 2004 were discussed. Noting the substantial delay between the Request for Revised Office Action filed January 5, 2004 and the communication from the Examiner mailed April 8, 2004, it was agreed that the period for response to the outstanding office action was be restarted to begin April 8, 2004, and that the Patent and Trademark Office would mail an Interview Summary confirming this. It is noted that, to date, an Interview Summary has not been received from the Patent and Trademark Office.

Accordingly, mailing of an Interview Summary and restarting of the period for response to begin April 8, 2004 are requested.

To the extent necessary, applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case: 306.41247X00), and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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